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Silicon-controlled rectifier with dynamic holding voltage for on-chip electrostatic discharge protection	:		

AMENDMENT

This paper is being filed in response to the Office Action dated June 16, 2006 and is being timely filed within the third month after the shortened statutory period for response set in the Office Action. A Petition for a three month extension of time is enclosed. If any additional fee is due, charge the fee to Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 681954.0046).

Amendments to and Listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Conclusion begin on page 6 of this paper.